

**SECRET****MISCELLANEOUS WEATHER REPORTS FOR FEBRUARY 1951****Moscow, Vechernyaya Moskva, 5 Feb 51**

Moderate and heavy frost was observed in the western European USSR, Ukraine, and Middle and Lower Volga regions. Snow fell locally in some areas and rain in the Crimea and Caucasus.

Temperatures at 0900 this morning were -24 degrees in Kalinin, -20 in Kaluga, -19 in Saratov, -18 in Leningrad and Minsk, -17 in Voronezh and Chkalov, -16 in Khar'kov and Astrakhan, -15 in Bryansk, -14 in Kiev and Arkhangel'sk, -12 in Rostov, -10 in Murmansk, -9 in Riga, L'viv, Odessa, and Gor'kiy, -8 in Kaliningrad, -7 in Kirov, 2 degrees above zero in Yalta, and 8 degrees in Sochi.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 19 degrees below zero; it was 15 degrees below zero at noon today.

The Central Forecasting Institute predicts cloudy weather with clearing and no precipitation for tomorrow. Temperatures will be 16-18 degrees below zero during the night, 11-13 degrees below zero during the day.

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Moscow, Vechernyaya Moskva, 12 Feb 51

Slightly cloudy weather with moderate frosts prevailed this morning in Rostov Oblast, the Crimea, southeastern Ukraine, and Belarussia. Heavy frosts occurred in Komi ASSR and the extreme eastern European USSR. Mostly cloudy weather was observed in the rest of the European USSR. Snow fell locally.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 13 degrees below zero; it was 11 degrees below zero at noon today.

The Central Forecasting Institute predicts mostly cloudy weather without precipitation for tomorrow. Temperatures will be 9-11 degrees below zero during the night, 5-7 degrees below zero during the day.

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Moscow, Sotsialisticheskoye Zemledeliye, 15 Feb 51

On 14 February, the weather became colder in the northern European USSR and Urals; the cold spread to the south and west. In the eastern central regions, temperatures dropped 10-12 degrees in 24 hours.

Slightly cloudy, dry, and warm weather continued in the Baltic countries, Belorussia, the Ukraine, and the North Caucasus.

On 13 February, light snow fell in the northwest, the northern central regions, the Middle Volga Region, and the southern Urals. During the first 12 hours of 14 February, snow fell in the western and central regions.

In West Siberia, it warmed up somewhat; snow began falling locally. During the day, it was -35 in Tobol'sk, -24 in Novosibirsk and Krasnoyarsk, and -22 in Omsk and Barnaul.

In Central Asia, temperatures continued to rise. At noon, they were 7 degrees above zero in Ashkhabad, 2 in Tashkent, and zero in Stalinabad.

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Moscow, Sovkhoznyaya Gazeta, 15 Feb 51

On 13 and 14 February, it became considerably colder in the northern and eastern European USSR; the cold spread to the areas farther south. At night, temperatures fell to 35-40 degrees below zero in the north and in the Urals.

On 14 February, noon temperatures were -28 in Sverdlovsk, -26 in Kirov and Petrosavodsk, -25 in Vologda and Syktyvkar, -24 in Arkhangel'sk and Kazan', -23 in Ufa, -21 in Khybyshev, -20 in Gorkiy, -17 in Leningrad, -16 in Chkalov, -12 in Moscow, -9 in Saratov, -8 in Orel, Kursk, and Riga, -4 in Voronezh and Kiev, -2 in Minsk and Stalingrad, 11 degrees above zero in Simferopol', 10 in Krasnodar, 9 in Tbilisi, 3 in Odessa, 2 in Rostov on the Don, and 1 in Dnepropetrovsk.

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Moscow, Vechernyaya Moskva, 19 Feb 51

This morning, slightly cloudy weather with heavy frost prevailed in the central European USSR with the exception of the western central portion.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 21 degrees below zero; it was 17 degrees below zero at noon today.

The Central Forecasting Institute predicts mostly cloudy weather, light snow, local snowstorms in the oblast, and moderate to strong southerly wind; for tomorrow. Temperatures will be 16-18 degrees below zero during the night, 9-11 degrees below zero during the day.

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Moscow, Vechernyaya Moskva, 26 Feb 51

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 12 degrees below zero; it was 11 degrees below zero at noon today.

The Central Forecasting Institute predicts cloudy weather with clearing, light snow during the day, and local snowstorms for tomorrow. Temperatures will be 14-16 degrees <sup>below zero</sup> during the night, 10-12 degrees below zero during the day.

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